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## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Replace paragraph [0020] with the following paragraph:

The scarifier 22 is operatively associated with the bucket 12. The scarifier 26 22 includes a plurality of teeth 24 constructed and arranged to be movable with respect to the bucket 12 between a retracted, inoperative position (FIGS. 3 and 4) substantially within space 19 so as not to obstruct the bottom wall portion 14 of the bucket 12, and an extended, operative position (FIGS. 1 and 2). In the operative position, at least a portion of the teeth 24 extend outwardly from the space 19 beyond an extent of the bottom wall portion 14. As shown in FIG. 2, in the operative position thereof, the teeth 24 extend at an angle with respect to the wall portion 14 such that distal ends 26 of the teeth face rearward so that to use the teeth 28 in a ripping operation, the bucket 12 must be dragged backwardly.